

NORTHERN TEST CENTRE NETWORK EXAMINATION PRICES – 2012

Northern Test Centre welcomes the opportunity to advise candidates on **any** certification options.

Many of the NTC examination options are available at numerous UK and overseas locations including Rotherham, Aberdeen, Kirkcaldy (Fife), Halesowen, Cardiff, Malaysia, South Africa, Libya and Greece. Please contact John Moody, Chief Examiner at NTC, on +44 (0)1709 550999.

PCN Certification is described in general terms in the current issue of *General Requirements for Qualification and PCN Certification of NDT Personnel (PCN/GEN)*.

The Northern Test Centre (NTC) can offer the following PCN examinations:

- Appendix B** Cast products, covering radiographic and ultrasonic NDT methods.
- Appendix C** Welded products, covering radiographic, ultrasonic and electromagnetic NDT methods
- Appendix D** Wrought products, (including forgings), covering ultrasonic NDT methods. (Also ISO 208070 appendix A)
- Appendix E** Pre and in-service inspection (multi-sector, including castings, welds and wrought products), covering liquid penetrant, magnetic particle and visual testing NDT methods, and including radiation safety certification.

The above accreditation covers certification according to EN 473 and ISO 9712. Appendix G also covers certification according to ISO 11484.

For PCN Weld Inspector Level 1, 2 & 3 examinations, refer to document reference: PCN WI *Specific Requirements for the Certification of Personnel for Weld Inspection*.

Note: With effect from 1 January 2012, a British Institute of NDT levy of 54.00 +VAT (£64.80) is applicable to all PCN examinations **in addition** to the prices listed below.

PCN Examinations	NTC Fee (£)	VAT (£)	Total (£)
Ultrasonic Testing			
PCN Level 1			
Initial	229.50	45.90	275.40
Retest	75.00 - 139.50	15.00 – 27.90	90.00 – 167.40
Recertification	139.50	27.90	167.40
PCN Level 2			
Initial Weld (1 or 2 categories)	345.00	69.00	414.00
Initial Weld (3 or 4 categories)	384.50	76.90	461.40
Initial Cast or Wrought (Plate + any other category)	306.50	61.30	367.80
Initial TOFD.	306.50	61.30	367.80
Initial Phased Array.	306.50	61.30	367.80
Retest	85.50 – 190.00	17.10 – 38.00	102.60 – 228.00
Recertification or Supplementary	245.00	49.00	294.00
Endorsement Critical Defect Sizing	238.00	47.60	285.60
Magnetic Particle, Penetrant, Visual, Electromagnetic Testing & Weld Inspector			
PCN Level 1			
Initial	195.00	39.00	234.00
Retest	75.00 – 139.50	15.00 – 27.90	90.00 – 167.40
Recertification	139.50	27.90	167.40
PCN Level 2			
Initial	256.50	51.30	307.80
Retest	85.50 – 190.00	17.10 – 38.00	102.60 – 228.00
Recertification	190.00	38.00	228.00
Weld Inspector			
PCN Level 3			
Initial	347.00	69.40	416.40
Retest	139.50	27.90	167.40
Initial (if PCN WI held)	265.50	53.10	318.60
Initial (if PCN RI held)	308.50	61.70	370.20
Initial (if PCN WI and PCN RI held)	195.00	39.00	234.00
Recertification – 10 year exam	195.00	39.00	234.00
Retest – 10 year exam	97.50	19.50	117.00

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PCN Level 3 (All Methods)			
Basic	194.00	38.80	232.80
Main method (exempt practical)	265.50	53.10	318.60
Main method (requiring practical)	378.50	75.70	454.20
Retest & Recertification	190.00	38.00	228.00
Radiation Safety			
Radiation Safety (Basic)	133.50	26.70	160.20
Radiation Safety (Supervisor)	179.50	35.90	215.40
Radiography			
PCN Level 1			
Initial	384.50	76.90	461.40
Retest	75.00 – 230.50	15.00 – 46.10	90.00 – 276.60
Recertification or Supplementary	230.50	46.10	276.60
PCN Level 2			
Initial	450.00	90.00	540.00
Initial CRT	241.00	48.20	289.20
Retest	85.50 – 320.00	17.10 – 64.00	102.60 – 384.00
Recertification or Supplementary	320.00	64.00	384.00
Radiographic Interpretation only			
Initial	241.00	48.20	289.20
Initial CRI	241.00	48.20	289.20
Retest	85.50 – 139.50	17.10 – 27.90	102.60 – 167.40
Recertification or Supplementary	118.00	23.60	141.60

Level III Services Employer based Examinations	Fee (£)	VAT (£)	Total (£)
All Methods (except Radiographic Testing)			
Level I & Level II			
Examination/Examination Retest (written & practical)	290.00	58.00	348.00
Examination Retest (practical only or written only)	145.00	29.00	174.00
Written Practice			
Production of initial Written Practice	310.00	62.00	372.00
Update of Written Practice	230.00	46.00	276.00
Certification Renewal			
Recertification (without examination)	210.00	42.00	252.00
Replacement certificates	79.00	15.80	94.80

Notes: Radiographic Testing examinations are subject to individual arrangement and are priced depending on the requirements of the company Written Practice. *Additional charges may apply, please enquire.

ICorr Examinations	Fee (£)	VAT (£)	Total (£)
All Methods			
Full Examination			
Level 1 & Level 2	292.00	58.40	350.40
Level 3	307.50	61.50	369.00
Re-Examination			
1 examination part	145.50	29.10	174.60
2 examination parts	236.00	47.20	283.20
3 examination parts	292.00	58.40	350.40
Certification Renewal			
Distant recertification – renewal of one certificate	313.00	62.60	375.60
Distant recertification – renewal of two certificates	420.00	84.00	504.00
Distant Transition of one certificate	313.00	62.60	375.60
Distant Transition of two certificates	420.00	84.00	504.00
Replacement certificate	90.00	18.00	108.00
Replacement wallet card	36.00	7.20	43.20

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